CHAPTER 69

*FAMOUS JAPANESE COMEDY TV SHOW

AIBA MIDORI, THE LITTLE DINOSAUR

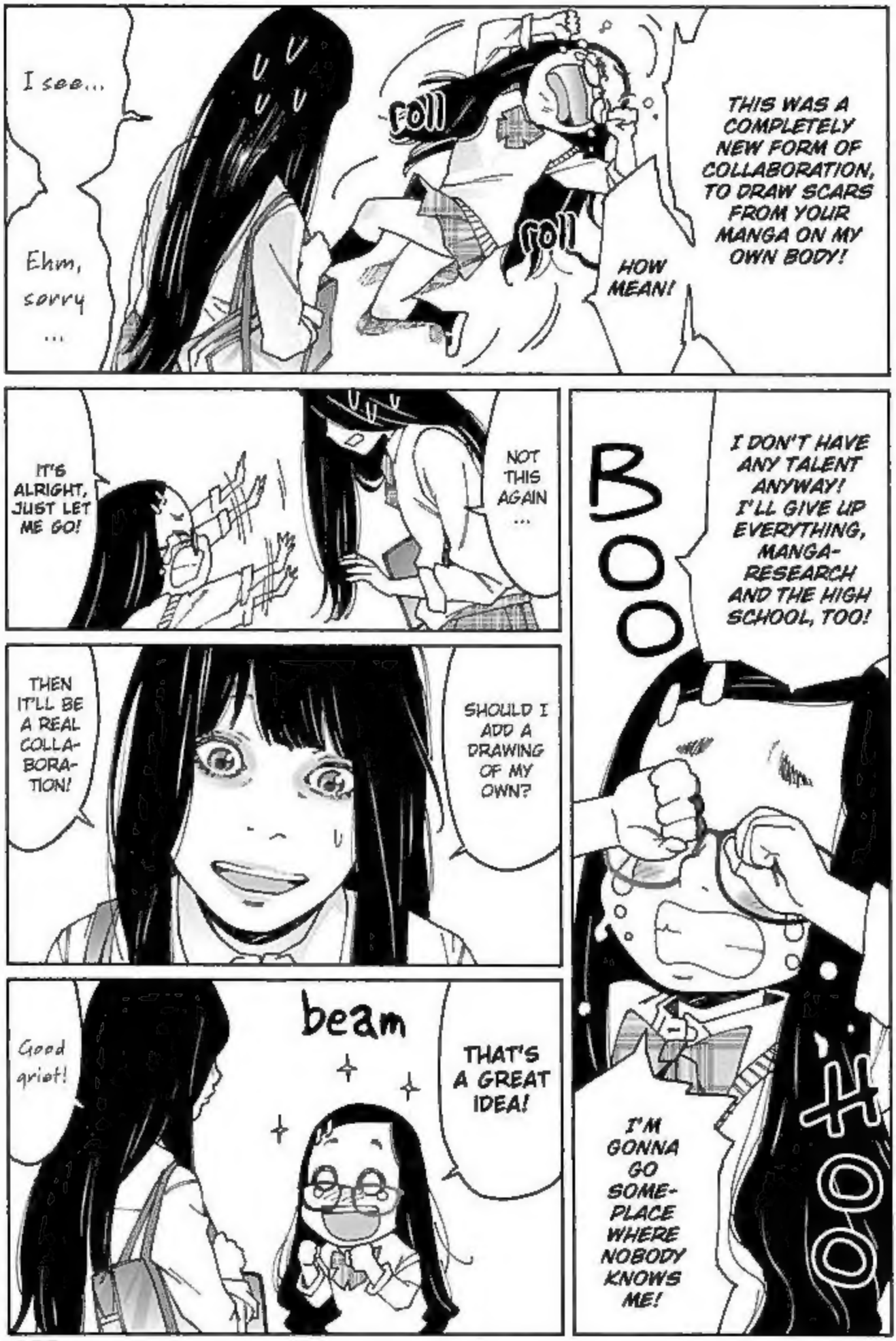
ONE OF HER WORKS CAN BE FOUND ON THE NEXT PAGE!

My lover... Ah, Haruhiko...
Taku-ya!
I didn't wait at all!
I DREW THE HANDS WITHOUT LOOKING!
DRAWING MUSCLES WITHOUT REFERENCES IS HARD!
Takuya? Why are you crying?
I'm afraid...
I might fall too deeply in love.
But this happiness is scaring me...!
I'm on Cloud 9!
Every-one envies me!
This moment, stay forever! Time, stand still!
Fin.

MAYBE, THIS GOT TOO SERIOUS...
NEXT TIME AIBA MIDORI WILL RETURN TO FORM!

PAO-ON!
AH! HONOTCHI!-SENPAI! WHAT'S UP, FELLA-PHANT? PAOON!*
GARARA
AH, MIDORIRI.
SO EARLY!
HEY, SENPAI!
TAKE A LOOK AT THIS!
ta-
da!
...
WHY WOULD YOU DRAW TURDS ON YOUR STOMACH?
NO, LOOK!
WELL DRAWN, ISN'T IT?
I'VE TOLD YOU BEFORE, WEAR A BRA!

*BENKEI (1155-1189) WAS WARRIOR MONK IN SERVICE OF MINAMOTO NO YOSHITSUNE


I see...
Ehm, sorry ...
roll
roll
HOW MEAN!
THIS WAS A COMPLETELY NEW FORM OF COLLABORATION, TO DRAW SCARS FROM YOUR MANGA ON MY OWN BODY!
IT'S ALRIGHT, JUST LET ME GO!
NOT THIS AGAIN ...
THEN IT'LL BE A REAL COLLA-BORA-TION!
SHOULD I ADD A DRAWING OF MY OWN?
Good grief!
beam
THAT'S A GREAT IDEA!
BOO
I DON'T HAVE ANY TALENT ANYWAY! I'LL GIVE UP EVERYTHING, MANGA-RESEARCH AND THE HIGH SCHOOL, TOO!
I'M GONNA GO SOME-PLACE WHERE NOBODY KNOWS ME!
BOOO

AH! PAOON!
PAO-ON!
WHAT'S UP, FELLA-PHANT?
OPEN
OOPS! AM I SEEING INDECENT ACTS BETWEEN MEMBERS OF THE SAME SEX?
I WON'T TELL ANYONE! PLEASE LET ME LIVE!
I CONCUR WITH THE ONE ON MY RIGHT!
I MEAN, ON MY LEFT!
MY LEFT!

AH YES, THAT IS BONKEI! THE CRAZED!
NO, WE'RE DOING A COLLABO-RATION!
THEN WHY DON'T YOU JOIN IN, ONIBI-SENPAI!
UOOH! GOT IT!
I SHALL DRAW, EVEN IF MY RIGHT HAND FALLS OFF!
IF YOU WANT IT TO LOOK LIKE BONKEI,
YOU HAVE TO PAY EXTRA ATTENTION TO THE HAIR ON THE ARMS!
THEN, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK PERMISSION TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LEG-HAIR.
SURE! DRAW SOMETHING TOO, SENPAI THE☆MASK!
AWESOME! WE ARE A PHENO-MENAL TEAM OF ARTISTS!

ERROR!
ERROR!
scratch
scratch
scratch
scratch
scratch
scratch
AIBA MIDORI IS A CYBORG!
AH HA HA! IT FEELS LIKE A TRANSFORM-ATION!
AH HA HA! THIS IS FUN!
scratch
scratch
scratch
scratch
scratch
IT LOOKS WEIRD!
HUH? I CAN'T GET IT RIGHT!
hic
!
ba-dump!
NOW I FEEL LIKE DRAWING, TOO!
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Eehm ...
GIVE ME A PEN, TOO!
Miss Honoka ?
THE FUN COLLA-BORA-TION HAS BECOME...
Booooooo!
BUHUU! NO MORE!
I HATE YOU ALL!
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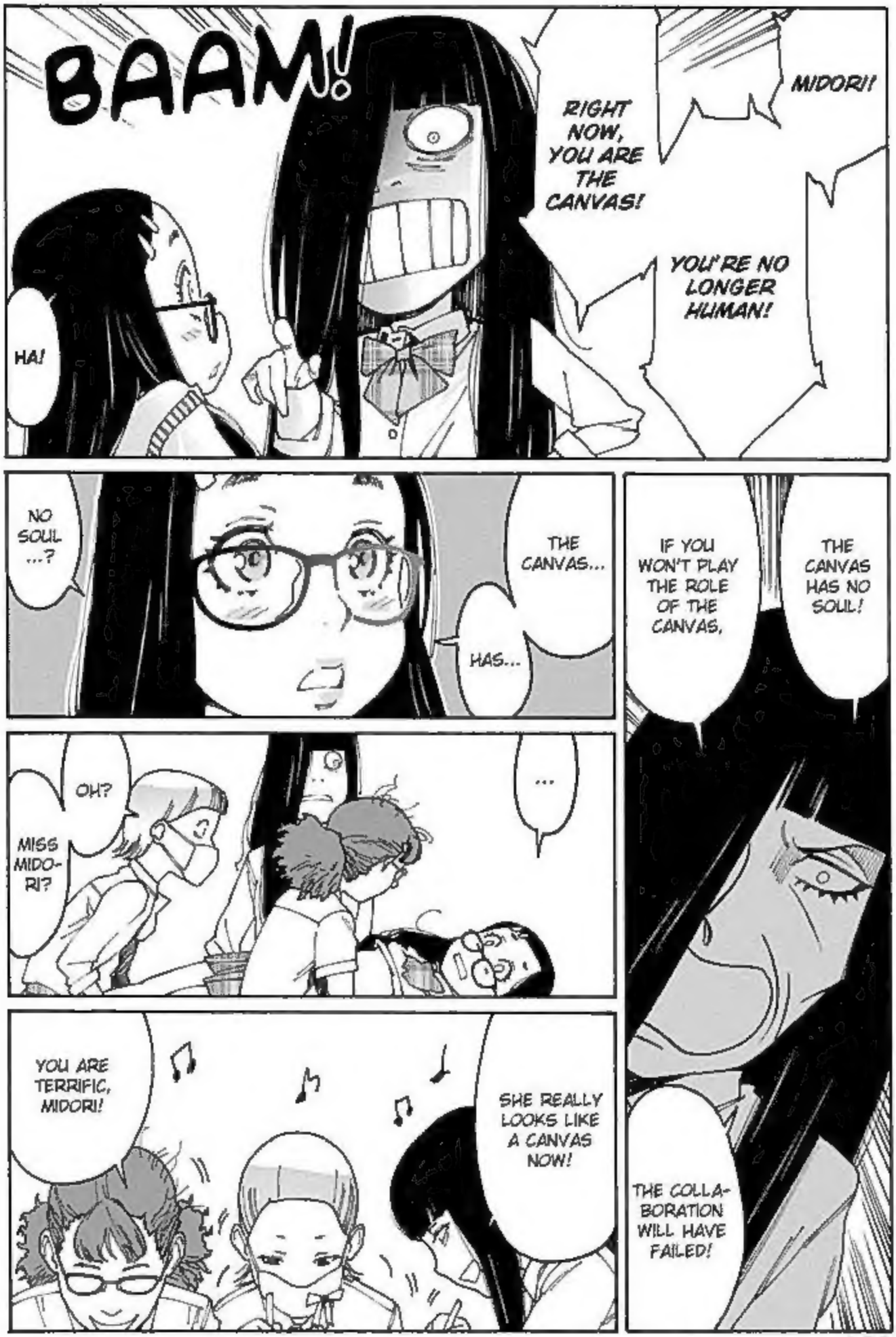
BAAM!
MIDORI!
RIGHT NOW, YOU ARE THE CANVAS!
YOU'RE NO LONGER HUMAN!
HA!
NO SOUL ...?
THE CANVAS...
HAS...
IF YOU WON'T PLAY THE ROLE OF THE CANVAS,
THE CANVAS HAS NO SOUL!
THE COLLABORATION WILL HAVE FAILED!
...
OH?
MISS MIDORI?
YOU ARE TERRIFIC, MIDORI!
SHE REALLY LOOKS LIKE A CANVAS NOW!

I WANNA GO OUTSIDE FOR A LITTLE!
I'M GONNA GO TO THE KIOSK, JUST BECAUSE!
OOOH! VERY PHOTO-GENIC!
click
click click
I REALLY BECAME BONKE!
AWE-SOME!
Waaaa
I WANNA DRINK SOME-THING FIZZY!
pitter
patter

THAT WAS A LOT OF FUN, THOUGH...
YOU TAKE THE WORDS RIGHT OUT OF MY MOUTH!
I WOULD NEVER GO OUTSIDE LOOKING LIKE THIS, BUT IF SHE WANTS TO GO HERSELF...
...
BAAA-HAAA!
TAPTAPTAP
HA HA HA!
RIGHT?
...
SHE WASN'T VERY THOR-OUGH, THOUGH.
...SHE ERASED EVERY-THING!
THE PRINCIPAL SAID THIS WAS MOBBING AND THEN...
WAAAAH!!

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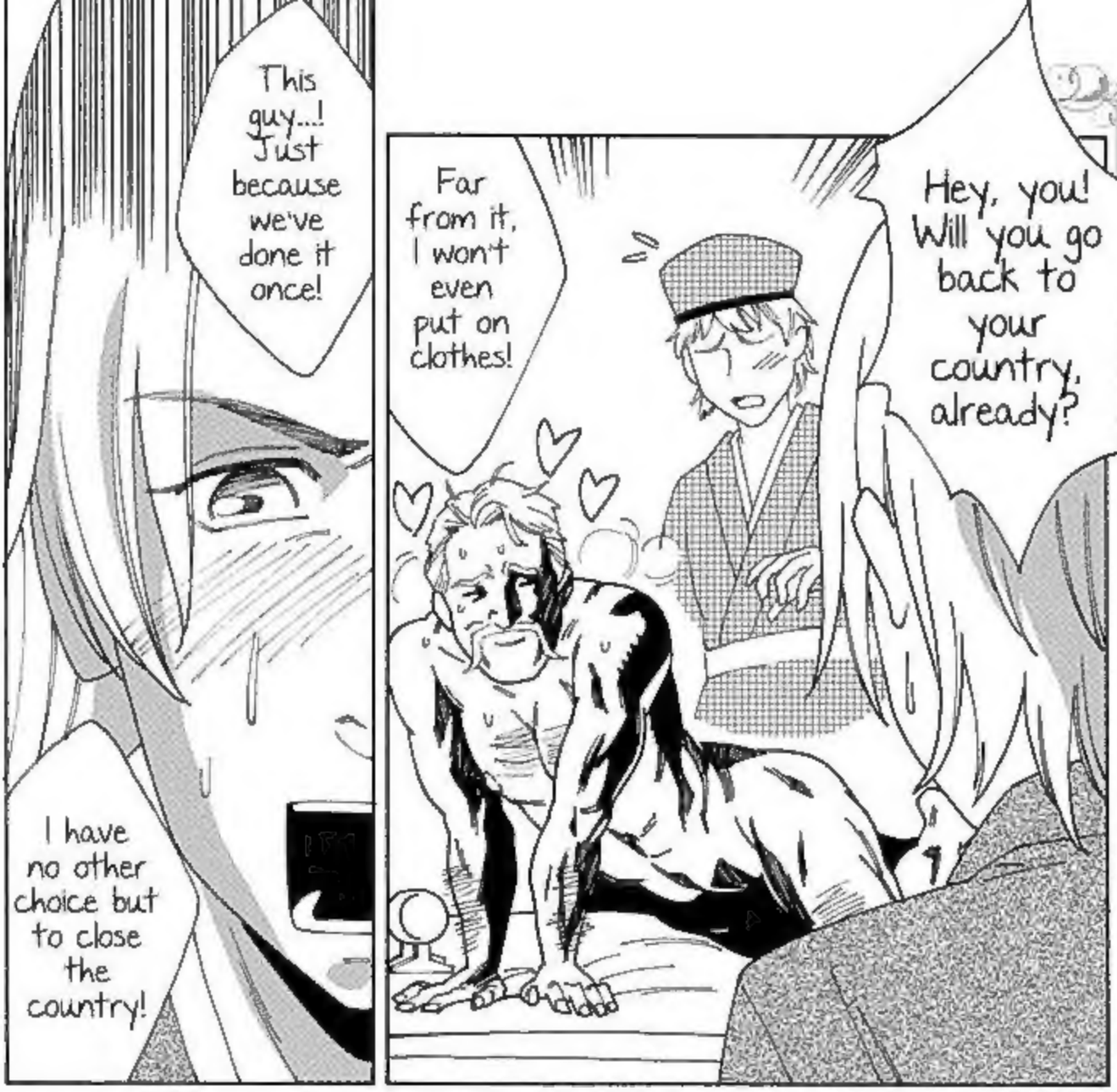
Page 163, 166:
The greeting that the club members use in the original is "Otsukaresama-mmoth", "Otsukaresama" meaning something like "much appreciated".
So yes, it's supposed to be bad.


This guy...! Just because we've done it once!
I have no other choice but to close the country!
Far from it, I won't even put on clothes!
Hey, you! Will you go back to your country, already?

That was the beginning of Japan's isolation!

THE END